

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN**

MARY ANN MCBRIDE, et al.,)	
)	
<i>Plaintiffs,</i>)	
)	Civil Action No. 2:15-cv-11222
v.)	
)	Hon. Sean F. Cox
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF)	
CORRECTIONS, et al.,)	Mag. David R. Grand
)	
<i>Defendants.</i>)	
)	

**ORDER GRANTING THE PARTIES' JOINT MOTION FOR
PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT (DOC. #
111) AND SETTING DATE FOR FAIRNESS HEARING**

On September 28, 2018, this Court received the Parties' Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement (Doc. # 111) ("Joint Motion"). After having reviewed the Joint Motion, the Proposed Settlement Agreement (Doc. # 112), and the Parties' related filings, and for the reasons stated on the record at the January 10, 2019 hearing on the Joint Motion, IT IS ORDERED that the Parties' Joint Motion is GRANTED, and that:

1. The Court grants preliminary approval of the Proposed Settlement Agreement;
2. Notice will be directed to class members in accordance with the Parties' Proposed Notice Plan set forth in Exhibit B to the Joint Motion (Doc. #

111-3), and in the form set forth in Exhibit B-1 to the Joint Motion (Doc. # 111-4); and

3. A fairness hearing is scheduled for **March 21, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.** in Courtroom 817 of the Theodore Levin U.S. Courthouse, 231 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, MI 48226.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 15, 2019

s/Sean F. Cox

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U. S. District Judge

The parties, through their respective counsel, stipulate to the entry of the above order.

Date: January 11, 2019

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